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BABS PLAYS TO PACKED AUDITORIUM

NEW MEMBERS ARE INTRODUCED

The College Theatre presented another play, in the form of a four-act comedy, Thursday evening, March 1. The production was a clever mixture of color and pep.

"Bab" has to do with a young girl who, after coming home from a quarantined school before she is expected, decides that she is "grown up" enough for her older sister's party. By inventing a lover, who unexpectedly turns up, she wrecks her home and mixes everything dreadfully. Things are finally straightened out, and she remains a debutante, not a subdeb.

It was rumored that this play was one of the best and funniest ever. Some of its success was due to the clever scenery and furniture, as well as the colorful dresses and collegiate "male" players.

The cast of characters was:
Leila Archibald, Margaret Martin.
Hannah, Regina Werne.
Mrs. Archibald, Eloise Harrison.
William, Emma Nash.
Carter Brooks, Gladys King.
Bab, Claire Gume.
James Archibald, Margaret Stowell.
Jane Raleigh, Mary Mercer.
Clinton Beresford, Orpha Corrigan.
Eddie Perkins, Frances Shire.
Guy Grosvenor, Frances Shire.

Leila Archibald as the haughty sister, was a constant source of amusement. Mrs. Archibald was the "ritzy" mother. Carter Brooks was the misunderstood admirer of Bab; Bab being a misunderstood genius. James Archibald was the understanding father. Jane Raleigh was an admirer of Bab. Clinton, a jolly "Henglisher," offered a clever bit of comedy. Eddie Perkins was a mere youngster, and Guy Grosvenor was the actor who is in the plot to cure Bab.

This play was directed by Miss Casebolt, and supported in many ways by the club members. Some clever posters have appeared in the halls. They were drawn and painted by Josephine McSweeny.

The College Theatre introduced three members who took part for the first time in the college play. They were Claire Grimes, Margaret Martin, and Regina Werne.

The whole cast diligently practiced late at nights as well as after school. They could hardly be recognized as the girls who stroll as students on our campus. Monocles, dress suits, evening gown, guns, were all in evidence during practice and on Thurday night.

During the intermission between acts the audience was entertained with musical selections by Pat Schultz and Fannie Salomon, accompanied by Dolores Guilfether.

Anita Cavagnaro, who has been confined to her home for the past week, is recovering from an attack of "flu." In spite of her weakened condition, she expects to return to college within the next few days.

T. C. DEBATERS DEFEATED BY GIRLS' HIGH

In room 210 of the Science Building, Friday evening, March 9, the Debating Club of this college, represented by Susie Clark, Dorothy Dalton, and Josephine Schembri, met and was vanquished by the Girls High represented by Rose Marie Kiernan, California Young, and Dorene Johnson.

Hot and furious was the battle over the issue: "Resolved that Married Women are Justified in Working outside the Home for Compensation."

The home team was far superior to the Girls High team but owed its failure to capture the decision to a technicality. This is not meant to be a "Sour Grape" procedure inasmuch as the visiting team refused to participate in a rebuttal due to an inadequate understanding of the question. However, numerous laughs were maneouvered by both sides. The visiting team contended that single women were not to be considered as in time they would be married, but, lo, our ever ready team inquired as to the fate of the poor girl unable to attract a husband. The audience was elated to find that the other side was convinced that a girl, no matter how homely, could attract "some man."

The decision, which came as a surprise to the whole audience, was rendered 2 to 1 in favor of Girls High. The one judge giving a vote in our favor said he was going to spend the rest of the night convincing the other two that they were wrong in not giving the decision to S. F. S. T. C.

All those who were there enjoyed the evening immensely and are looking forward to the return debate scheduled at Girls High, April 24, 1928. Our own team already beginning the work on the new debate is resolved to make the Girls High team pay dearly for having carted home the bacon this time.

President Addresses Teachers' Institute

President Roberts spoke on "The Teacher and the Community" at the last Alameda County Teachers' Institute, Thursday, February 28.

In his speech the president stressed the point that "every phase of community life has changed and that there is a greater burden placed upon the teacher in the schools."

Children are now taught things at school that were never thought of in days gone by. Not many years ago all domestic courses were taught by the mother in the home, but now it is all taken up in the public school. Home duties have been placed upon the school teacher.

"The school teacher of today must be better trained than the teacher of yesterday," Dr. Roberts maintained, "because she must be trained not only to teach her subjects, but also to be of aid to the community when she is wanted."

MOB REVELS IN ANNUAL NIGHT RALLY

DEAN DU FOUR IS PRIZE BABY

Burning torches and choking smoke confused the excited throng of merrymakers who clattered impatiently into the old gym to witness the big night rally of March 14. The Dramatic Club entertained the students with the "Last Rehearsal," while school spirit worked back of the hands preparing the gym for the mammoth event. The farce was well received by the students with laughter and clapping.

At five o'clock a rushing mob of students scrambled for accommodations at tables, but many had to be satisfied with standing space.

As soon as Dr. Roberts was escorted to the scene of action, a greeting was given by Clara Bolei. "It is indeed a joy to see so many of you here tonight," she began. "I consider it a pleasure to have been asked to work with Miss Dorothey Baker and serve for the managing committee. For them, let me say, enjoy yourselves."

Through the co-operation of Esther Rice and Charlotte Frehe, a special song was prepared for the seniors. Accompanied by Evelyn Elster, Marian Byrne led the June '28 class in their spirited song.

After parading into the gym, the yell leaders stirred the atmosphere with pep. Organized howls and screams followed as Miss Levy and others were complimented with a yell.

The "Three Old Maids of Lee" created spells of laughter as their gay costumes and graceful dancing met with approval.

After being announced by means of a revealing jingle, the June '28 class informed students of their conception of smart vogue, using screaming costumes. Howls followed.

To aid seniors in impressing the freshmen favorably, Ursula Murphy sang "Ach Liebe Dich," by Edward Grieg. Her encore was "Marcheta," but her audience held her to the stage until she sang still another song.

Searching for a plot the Scribes burst upon the stage. Expressive action told their story without words. Hands ached from clapping.

Sweeping cob-webs from the sky Molly Levin held the audience breathless while she performed artistically with a broom. Shouts of glee rewarded her efforts.

It was through courtesy of the Glee Club that the Williams Quartet was engaged to perform. The colored children pleased their audience tremendously through their songs and dances. These tiny tots took the olf gym by storm, and they were forced to the stage for many encores.

With a bold magician in the lead, the Debating Club performed miracles on the stage. Bowleggedness gave way to curved limbs. Ancient Greek gods were interpreted by the

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A CAPELLA CHOIR WILL SING IN S. F.

Inauguration Exercises To Be Held Soon

Arrangements are nearing completion for the formal inauguration of Dr. Roberts as president of the college, the dedication of the Science Building, and the ground breaking for the new Frederick Burk Training School, which are scheduled for March 30 and 31.

The inaugural ceremony will take place in the auditorium of the High School of Commerce on Hayes and Van Ness Ave, Friday, March30, at 4:15 o'clock. Mr. C. L. McLane, former president of Fresno State Teachers College, and now president of the State Board of Education, will preside. On this occasion, Dr. Roberts will give his inaugural address, and Dr. Ellwood P. Cubberly, Dean of the School of Education of Stanford University, and Mr. William John Cooper, State Director of Education, will be the other speakers of the afternoon.

The inaugural banquet, for which Mr. Charles A. Adams, member of the State Board of Education, will act as toastmaster, will be given in the Concert Room at the Palace Hotel, Friday at seven o'clock. The guest list includes many prominent educators in the bay region.

Alumnae have taken charge of the ground breaking ceremony to take place on the southern extremity of one of the terraces, Saturday morning at half-past ten. College students, under the direction of Miss Levy, are to participate in the musical arrangements.

Following this, Mr. Alexander R. Heron, former deputy director of education, will preside at the luncheon to be served in the New Gymnasium at half-past twelve. Music and speeches are planned for this event, at which time the dedicatory address for the Science Building, "The Cultural and Social Values of the Teaching of the Sciences," will be made by Dr. Charles A. Kofoid, Professor of Zoology at the University of California.

At an informal reception at half-past two in the new building, guests will meet Dr. and Mrs. Roberts, and members of the faculty and alumnae.

A committee of students will usher visitors into the various departments where instructors in science will act as hosts and hostesses.

College to Offer 4 Degree Courses

Beginning with this fall semester, two new degree courses will be available in this college, in addition to the Kindergarten Primary and Elementary degrees.

One degree will be open to those students wishing to teach Junior High School; the other degree for those students wishing to teach in High School. To finish this last degree a fifth year in the University of California is necessary.

It is interesting to note that the major subject in these new degree courses will not be education as it is in the Elementary and Kindergarten Primary fields. Instead, the major must be in some other field such as English, Social Sience, Natural Science, or the like.

The requirements for a major will be at least twenty-four units over and above the forty prescribed units in the lower divisions. One-half of these twenty-four must be derived from upper division courses.

The Publicity Committee is planning to present these requirements in the new bulletin in tabular form. This will enable the students and faculty advisors to see at a glance what courses must be taken.

MAY BE SPONSORED BY COLLEGE

Hear! The secret is out! The Student Welfare Committee has voted to sponsor a concert by the Smallman a Capella Choir from Los Angeles on April 20, provided there is sufficient support from the students.

Thursday, March 8, at the Guild Meeting, Miss Bock explained that these artists are to sing for Mills College on the evening of April 2, at the dedication of their new music building. "The fact that Mills College chose this group," continued Miss Bock, "is significant of their excellent work."

"Shall we or shall we not back the big undertaking of having the Smallman Choir perform for the city?" is the question before the Student Body. Opportunity to indicate individual feeling will be given every student soon, when pledges will be distributed.

President Roberts is in favor of anything furthering the interests of the college.

Misses Kleinecke and Smith, who have heard the group, praise them most highly. Doctor Rypins, Miss England, and Miss Monroe, also join in praising the board's suggestion.

Mr. John Smallman conducts a body of singers consisting of about fifteen women and thirteen men. The conductor has established himself as an artist, and he received his inspiration from the Sistine Choir, the Ukranian Chours, and the St. Olaf Lutheran Choir.

After the last performance of the choir in San Francisco, the Examiner stated, "John Smallman's a Capella Choir is a lesson in musical Americanization. It is a living proof that a choir chosen and trained here in California can do as good work as that done by any of the choirs that come from Europe with historic names."

Preparations are being made to give the students of the college an opportunity to hear this superb choir. Efforts are being made to use the Scottish Rite Auditorium for the performance.

Miss McFadden, sponsor of Phi Lambda Chi, was a guest for dinner at the club house, 1927 Washington street, on March 6.

The tables were decorated with daffodils and tall green candles. Hats, horns, and whistles, carrying out a St. Patrick color scheme, amused the diners.

Fashions Displayed At Assembly

"While this is a spring fashion show, it is arranged also to prove that dress displays individuality," declared Miss Mayer, as the spring fashions made a bow to the students at the regular Wednesday assembly on February 29.

Gladys Cathcart opened the affair by modeling a navy blue three piece sport outfit, suitable for campus wear. Elsie Breed wore the same outfit in a biege tone. Then the two girls switched costumes; the change was complimentary to both. A grey sweater, trimmed with a red band and modeled by Virginia Carniglia, was shown to prove that sweaters are to be a feature of sports-wear this season. A scarf also proved a clever note.

A red wool jersey jacket, displayed by Helen Weir, was set off to advantage by a pleated skirt trimmed with red.

Jerry Eggleston wore a beige tweed ensemble.

Ursula Murphy modeled a smart cape and dress of tan. Her hat flower and purse were red.

A serge dress with a high collar was introduced by Marian Knall. She also modeled a perky bonnet covering one eyebrow.

According to Ann Smith, tennis dresses are to be popular. She wore one in white crepe de chine with a very short sleeve.

Lucille De Valle modeled an afternoon dress of tan silk with an embroidered figure in the overblouse. The neck line, which was v-shaped and without a collar, is extremely smart and new. Another white crepe de chine dress, worn by Mabel Williams, was a source of interest. This model was trimmed with red.

The top-coats displayed in the show were decidedly of the feminine gender. The tweeds were soft in color and light in weight, falling in graceful lines and folds.

Colorful flowered and printed materials of filmy nature found favor. An ensemble featured had a dainty one-piece dress of printed georgette trimmed with fine pelats and tiny buttons. Over this was a coat of crepe de chine which carried out identically the same color scheme and print. The combination of georgette and crepe de chine with similar color schemes is a new note.

Among the informal dinner dresses were a red dress trimmed with two pink drapes, modeled by Elsie Breed, and a fluttering frock of lavendar, worn by Virginia McKinnon. A large side brimmed hat of straw was associated with the latter.

Doris Malitz won decided approval from the audience by modeling a brilliant evening dress. Jerry Eggleston proved that fact that feminity is the keynote to fashion this spring by appearing in the limelight in a beautiful white taffeta formal gown with a drooping peacock-like skirt.

Ursula Murphy stepped upon the stage dressed in a dainty flowered chiffon gown. Insertions of black lace gave this creation a sophisticated elegance and an uneven skirt line.

The fashion show was presented through the courtesy of the Emporium.

DOBIE DISAPPOINTS ASSEMBLY ATTENDANTS

Disappointment followed the cancelation of Mr. Charles Dobie's lecture scheduled for Wednesday assembly of March 7.

The author postponed his appearance until April 11, giving no reason for this action; however, he will discuss the given topic, "Why People Read."

Miss England used part of the hour in teaching a song to be sung for a special occasion later. The remainder of the hour was spent profitably, for the student body adjourned to their respective places for class meetings.

Alumnae Tea Draws Hundreds

The Alumnae Tea, held by the members of the S. F. T. C. Alumnae Association at the St. Francis Hotel, last Saturday, March 10, was very successful, according to those who were present.

Although not all of the proceeds are in as yet, it is felt by many that the tea was a financial, as well as a social success.

Tea was served to over six hundred members of the alumnae and students of the graduating class. The large number of those present completely filled both the Colonial and Italian ball rooms.

Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. DuFour, and Mrs. Frederick Burke were among the many guests present.

The committee in charge of the tea were glad to see so many of the prospective members of the Alumnae Association there. They also expressed the opinion that this organization is one that the students of the graduating class will find to their benefit and enjoyment to join.

GLEE CLUB HAS NEW MEETING ROOMS

Rooms 38 and 39, formerly used for study and social hours, are being converted into Glee Club rooms to be the center of the group's activities, and to accommodate the club's music and operetta materials.

Interior decorations of orange and yellow, articles donated by all members of the organization, and furniture supplied by proceeds from the coming operetta, will make the rooms very enjoyable to those who use them. All the college musical groups are welcome to meet in these rooms.

Growth in membership and activities has necessitated the occupation of these rooms by the Glee club.

Freshies to Give Sport Dance

Just hop into a sport dress, hop into "Lizzie", and hop over to the New Gym on Saturday night, April 14, for one of the most entertaining events of the semester—the Freshman Hop.

It is expected that everyone will be there; the dignified faculty, the "lofty" seniors, and the jolly juniors, as well as the more humble beings about the school.

Clenchard's Jazz Orchestra from Berkeley, recently returned from a trip around the world, will furnish the music.

Vivian Walsh, general chairman of the evening, has been busy completing arrangements with her committee heads. According to Marjorie Maring, who has charge of the decorations, the New Gym will be arranged in a most unusual style; the atmosphere will be in keeping with the same "sport dance". Alice Gratiot is chairman of the program committee.

The Freshmen urge the students to remember the date, April 14, the place, New Gym, and the price, one dollar.

FACULTY MEMBER PLANS SUMMER

The first day of June Dr. Valentine will start on a trip to Grand Fork, North Dakota, where during the eight weeks of Summer session at the State University he will offer the courses Phsycology of Personality, Philosophy of Education, and supervision of Elementary Education.

Dr. Valentine is very enthusiastic over his plans which include visits to Chicago and various places of interest in the Middle West.

She: Au revoir, I go to the arms of Morpheus.

He: Go ahead; I hope he slaps you down.

Summer Session Bulletin Compiled

Plans for summer school have just been completed, according to Dean Ward, director of the summer session. Many rich subjects, among which are professional courses for elementary, junior high, and special cedentials in administration and supervision.

There are fourteen courses presented in the field of music. These will cover problems in instrumental and vocal work, and the instructors are prominent in musical work throughout the state.

Students are urged to avail themselves of the unusual opportunity of securing training in band, orchestra, piano, and voice. Piano lessons will be offered at a very reasonable rate, and all those anxious for this instruction are advised to call at the registrar's office for further information.

We are to have about fifteen in the visiting faculty who will give many interesting courses in art, education, English, and social science. Among other things, there will be instruction in clog dancing and in character dancing, as well as a course in stage craft and puppetry presented by Miss Casebolt.

Classes will commence at 8:10 a. m., and will continue until 3:00 p. m. Courses open to resident students are listed in a separate outline and will shortly be placed in each post box.

Students of the college who know interested teachers are asked to file the non-resident students' names in the office of the registrar.

POPCORN BALLS HIT HOME

A net profit of ten dollars was realized by the pop-corn ball sale, held by the Home Economics club, at two o'clock Wednesday, February 29.

These pop-corn balls were made by the members of the Home Economics club, which vouched for their purity and deliciousness. No sooner had the trays, filled with the appetizing balls, appeared within the doors of the assembly hall, than calls from every direction greeted the students selling them. In fact, so much on demand were these snowy confections, that twice the amount could have been easily sold.

The proceeds of this sale will go towards paying for the entertainment for the faculty which the club held last semester. There will also be a considerable amount left over to start the treasury for this term.

PHI LAMBDA CHI GIVES DANCE

Over twenty couples enjoyed the Leap Year dance which was held at the Phi Lambda Chi house, on March third, according to Miss Dorothy Baker, president of the Phi Lambda Chi house.

The music was furnished by a University of California orchestra, and many novelty dances enriched the evening's program.

The next event on the social calendar of the club is a bridge tea for mothers of the Phi Lambda Chi members.

VIGILANTE VALUABLE FOR PUBLICITY

The publicity value of this paper is to be commended according to Katherine O'Sullivan, chairman of the Hospital Committee of the Nyoda Club, who has received many offers of help, as a result of an item carried last issue. This item told of the work of the committee and indicated that more students could be used. At once a number of letters were received by Miss O'Sullivan, letters in which specific information was requested.

Visiting hours at the U. C. Hospital are from 3 to 4 o'clock on Tuesday and Thursday and from 1:30 to 4 o'clock every Saturday.

War Declared By Librarians

If students do not pay their fines, war will be declared, according to the latest announcements from the library.

It is maintained that the list of books is absolutely too long. Day after day, instead of decreasing, the list increases. It seems to be a fad to have one's name posted on the green paper. The same names are to be seen, week after week.

The fines range from ten to eighty cents. Apparently many college students have lost interest in malted milks.

The librarians insist that they are not running a money making affair. Fines are levied, not to obtain revenue, but to force students to bring back books on time.

If no fines were levied, it would be impossible to keep books in circulation. As it is, the fine schedule here is one of the lowest in the state.

Of late, the fines method does not seem to be working very satisfactorily. Any suggestion for the decreasing of the "overdue list" will be greatly appreciated, according to the student library committee.

NEW ENGLISH COURSES TO BE OFFERED

Beginning with the fall semester the English department will be offering many new courses that may be used as major or minor units.

It will also be required that all freshmen enroll in a six unit course of expository discourse (oral and written). Most of the other courses in English will be electives, except for those deciding to elect a major or minor in English.

Interesting courses, that will deal with outlines, will be: "Shakespeare", "Shaw", "Browning", "Tennyson", "Chaucer", and "The Age of Milton". There will also be many other interesting courses, such as "The Classical Period", "History of Criticism", "Introduction to Old English", "Great Epics".

K. P. CLUB MEMBERS TAKE TRIP

The first of several excursions planned by the Kindergarten-Primary Club was held Thursday, March 1, at the Beaux Arts gallery. The members enjoyed an Italian dinner.

According to Miss Barbour, the club, which was down but not out, has received a new lease on life, due to the large numbers of Freshmen who have recently joined. The enthusiasm of the officers and members in planning the program for the semester is an omen of success.

The program includes dinners, excursions to the Foundlings' Home in Clement Street, Miss Christianson's Nursery, Miss Pillot's Puppet Show in Filbert Street, and a tea near the end of March for Miss Annie Moore, author of the "Primary Child." The club is also planning to attend a concert in the Russian Settlement. Each excursion will be preceded by a business meeting.

LIBRARY FINE TO BE ENFORCED

"Students must call for reserved books before 4:45," says Miss Fleming, in drawing attention again to a much misunderstood rule.

If they are not called for before this time ,a fine of ten cents will be levied, and the book will be given to anyone asking for it.

Too many students forget to call for books, thus preventing other students from taking them.

If it is physically impossible for any student to get her books between 3:30 and 4:45 p. m, she should notify the librarian, who will arrange it so that the book may be secured at a convenient time for the student.

Mrs. Cooch Gives Talk on Art

"How and Why Art Is Taught in the Elementary Grades," was the title of the talk given by Mrs. Cooch before the Frederick Burke Parent-Teachers Association at its last meeting, held March 1.

The mothers were very enthusiastic over this talk, and they were especially pleased with the illustrations that were used to supplement the speech.

One of Dewey's theories, "Develop the idea before the expression," was upheld by Mrs. Cooch, who favors the theory of presenting the outline of the work in art of the elementary grades.

"In the first grade we give the child encouragement and understanding and let art be a means of expression of the child's own inner life. We do not criticize much, for the children have their own definite ideas as to what an animal or an object looks like, and to tell them differently is apt to discourage any further spontaneous work on their part," stated Mrs. Cooch.

The next step comes when the children illustrate poems and stories. The stories picked contain such objects that will lead to the things that the children ought to know or things for which they will have a marked need.

Original designs are taken up next, and only such material is given to the children that will help to build up their own designs. Later they make designs in free hand paper cutting. These designs are often used to decorate the classroom.

"From the fifth grade up we work for skill, and especially stress technique," Mrs. Cooch further stated. The art instructor summarized her talk by restating the three big things that are covered in art courses for the elementary grades, these being freehand drawing, original designs, and craft work, which also involves block printing.

CLUB MEETS AT WHITCOMB HOTEL

At 7:15 a. m., on Monday, March 12, the Bookaneers held their monthly breakfast on the Coffee Tavern of the Whitcomb Hotel. More than a majority of the club attended the meeting.

Througtout the gathering, a discussion of Arnold Bennett's "Five Town Series" took place. Some of the books read were "Hilda Lessways," "The Clayhanger", "These Twain", and "The Roll-Call". When one of the Bookaneers asked whether the "Five Towns" were real, a ma pof England was produced and the places pointed out, but, of course, the names had been changed by the author. The greater number of the club determined that Bennett was a decided realist and a keen analyst of thought. Some members ventured the opinion that, although Bennett wrote of a district in England, he did not write so powerfully as Thomas Hardy, a contemporary novelist.

It was decided that, for a change, the club would read plays, and that the first to be read would be Eugene O'Neil's "Emperor Jones."

On the Thursday night preceding the meeting, the Bookaneers enjoyed an evening of roller skating at the Golden Gate skating rink. More than half the group were present at the party which began at 7:30, and according to the participants, no mishaps occurred.

SCRIBES PLAN EXCURSION

The Hindu temple on Filbert street will be the scene for the next excursion of the Scribes Club, on March 18, 1928.

Since the Hindu temple has been spoken of very favorably by Minnie Pearsons, who has visited there, the members of the club are eagerly awaiting their sojourn.

Several of the scribblers are expecting to be inspired to write their masterpieces as a result of the visit.

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CALIFORNIA DEFEATS STANFORD IN HANDBALL

Saturday, March tenth, the University of California handballers won from Stanford athletes three matches to one. In the feature singels match Dowl Richards of Stanford won from White of California. White took the opening match 21-12; Richards captured the other games by 21-20 and 21-12.

SPORTS

JUNE '28 LEADS VOLLEY BALL TOURNAMENT

Keen competition is marking the keynote to the success of the volley ball tournament.

The class of Dec. '28, with such active players as Alice Gerstenberg, Anna Romani, Katherline Davis, Madeline Engler, Nemeria Worhearst, and Lucille Savage, "is right upon the heels" of June '28 in the lead so far.

Since only ten games have been played and ten more must be played to complete the tournament, most of the classes have an equal chance.

The scores up to date are as follows:

Dec. '28 vs. June '29, 33-24.
Dec. '28 vs. June '30, June '30 defaulted.
June '28 vs. June '29, 42-29.
June '28 vs. June '30, 40-20.
June '28 vs. Dec. '28, 39-33.
Dec. '28 vs. Dec. '29, 49-29.
Dec. '29 vs. June '29, Dec. '29 defaulted.
June '28 vs. Dec. '29, Dec. '29 defaulted.
June '29 vs. June '30, 32-32.
June '2 8vs. June '29, 47-45.

STUDENT MAKES RECORD SWIM

The record for long distance swimming of this college was broken en Tuesday, March 6, 1928, at the "Y" tank by Lillian Bianchini, who swam twenty-one lengths.

Marion Donaldson made twenty lengths, breaking the old record of twelve lengths held by Alice Frey.

The mermaids have become skilled in fancy diving and exhibition strokes. They are preparing for the big meet with the Y. W. C. A., which is scheduled for the middle of April.

The students who are entering this meet have refused sweets because they must keep training in order to compete.

W. A. A. TO REVISE CONSTITUTION

President "Pat" Schultz will hold a W. A. A. mass meeting Monday, March 19, 1928 in the New Gym at four o'clock; all members are requested to be present.

The W. A. A. Executive Board, with the help of its sponsers, has been working very hard in revising the constitution to meet new situations which are constantly arising.

The board has urged each member to appear at the meeting and discuss freely her viewpoints upon the different amendments of the constitution.

VOLLEY BALL CLASS ORGANIZED

"The Hogans and the McSweeneys"—Irish, to be sure—have come into prominence as a result of their rare athletic ability.

The P. E. 6 volley ball class that meets with Miss Holtz in the old gymnasium every Monday and Wednesday nights from four to five o'clock, has organized into teams, namely, "The Hogans," of which Ruth Hogan is captain, and "The McSweeney's," captained by Josephine McSweeney.

Hotly contested games will make up the program for the remainder of the course, and it has been rumored that the victors will receive a just reward for the development of their skill at playing volley ball.

IT LEAKED OUT

The various departments of the State Teachers' College at Chico have organized a group of clubs called the Lights. The Kindergarten-Primary Department is the Candle Light, the General Professional Department is the Lantern Light, and the Elementary Department is the Searchlight.

Mrs. Lynch, city school supervisor of grammar grades, has been confined to her home for the past two weeks by illness.

As the duration of her illness is uncertain, no arrangements have been made for supervisory work in the city schools.

Dr. Valentine is taking charge of Mrs. Lynch's afternoon conferences, and has made plans for members of the Education 113 staff to alternate with him in holding class.

Mrs. H. T. Condon, daughter of Dr. Roberts, left San Francisco last week for Philadelphia, where she will make her home.

Mrs. Condon spent a month with her parents. The worst part of her leaving is, according to Dr. Roberts, that she took his little granddaughter with her.

Several articles have been turned into the Lost and Found and have not yet been called for. They include a silver pen, a Junior College Education Book, a pink scarf, and a Teachers College ring.

Mary Shea, chairman of the Lost and Found Committee, requests the owners to call and identify their belongings as soon as possible. She also urges students to be more prompt in reporting their findings.

FLOWERS ASKED FOR LIBRARY

In order to brighten up the library and make it a more pleasant place in which to study, Miss Jones has been asking that students who have flower gardens at home clip a few bouquets every now and then and donate them for this purpose.

Up to this time virtually all the flowers gracing the library have been brought by the library force. The librarians, it seems, are quite willing to keep on supplying flowers, but the library is so large eand the librarians so few in number that additional help has been asked.

'Twas very dark. There were no stars nor moon. Out of the blackness rose a faint "Croak, Croak," which grew more and more plaintive. Three tiny frogs felt lost and deserted. Nowhere was a friendly brook or grassy bank, only a very slippery surface. There was nothing to do but cry.

All of this was too much for Miss Pickard, who was on her way to Oakland High School to give a course in Nature Study to teachers. She opened the paper bag on her lap and let the sun shine on the three frogs, who had been singing their song in a strange abode.

CALENDAR OUT

The school calendar for the year of 1928 and part of 1929, which the Schedule and Registration Committee has worked out, has been adopted by the Faculty, and will be posted out in the halls very soon.

This calendar will extend from the opening of the present Spring semester to the close of Summer session in 1929.

All holidays and days of importance will be dated on the student calendar far enolugh in advance so that the students of this college may make plans or dates for such days.

"What's the matter with you?"
"Eyes tired."
"Such terrible grammar! You should say, 'I am tired'."

"I do not choose to pun" said the wise man.

LOUD LAUGHTER

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Careful, Women!

"Why did you break your engagement with that school teacher"

"I didn't show up one night, and she wanted me to bring a written excuse signed by my mother."

One: At your age, how did you ever get that big bald spot on your head?

Two: Well, confidentially, between you and me, my hair fell out.

Cupid enters with a blare of trumpets and exits with the wail of violins. But it is in the dead silence that he really accomplishes most of his business.

Hi-hat (just back from shooting in Scotland): We had some wonderful hunting.

Dum-wit: Yeh! Whadja shoot?

Hi-hat: Mostly pheasants!

Dum-wit: They certainly do give the lowest classes a rotten deal over there.

Lucille: He stole a kiss from me.

Lucy: Well, what did you do?

Lucille: I talked him in to giving it back.

Dr. Biddle (taking roll) Any other absentees here?

Rural autoist: I want some tires.
Salesman: Balloon tires?
Autoist: No, automobile tires.

She: I've just had my face lifted.

Other: Nonsense! Who'd steal such a thing?

"Prithee, sir, how pass thou the time?"

"Ha-ha! Gertie, I'm the editor of the 'Hangman's Journal'."

"Oh, I see—a noosepaper."

Poet: Do you like Gissing?
She: I don't know how to giss.

Tramp: Kin I cut your grass for a meal, m'am?

Lady: Our lawn mower is broken. I'd rather you'd eat it right off the ground.

Lost balloonist: Ahoy, where am I?

Farmer: Hey, hey, you can't fool me, by gum. Ye're right up there in that little basket. Giddyap, Susie

"You know Jones has a marked preference for athletic women. His first wife was a champion golfer, his second was a channel swimmer, his third was a tennis star, and—"

"Good Heavens! The man must have had a wife in every sport."

"I hear that Nero had a Christian torn in three pieces today."

"But brother, that wasn't giving him an even break."

"Did you hear about the colored waiter who brought in a platter of French pastry and the near-sighted gentleman who chose a chocolate eclair?"

"No."

"It turned out to be a thumb."

Teacher: "Cedric, will you feature the word tennis?"

Cedric: "Sure, Tennis five times two."

He: Do you know what hymn that dress reminds me of?
She: No, what?
He: Frock of ages.

She was only a street cleaner's daughter, but she'll never have white wings.

"Nora, what in the world is the matter with this cake?"

"I put in some bad yolks, ma'am"

"Why, where did you get hold of a College Magazine?"